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PATENT

CASE #Z6000(V) UNUS #01-D507-EDG

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Applicant:

Coccaro et al.

Serial No.:

09/955,894

Filed:

September 19, 2001

For:

METHOD FOR PURCHASING CONSUMER PRODUCTS

Group:

3727

Examiner:

Jeffery A. Shapiro

Edgewater, New Jersey 07020

RESPONSE TO INFORMATION REQUEST

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Sir:

Applicants herein submit that all information concerning the derivation of the mathematical formula described in the specification has been supplied to the Examiner and that the response filed by Applicants on 17 November 2003 was made in compliance with 37 CFR §1.105.

Applicants, therefore, submit that the information required by the Examiner is unknown (37 CFR §1.105(3)). Again, Applicants, in order to best described the invention, used

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the mathematical formula to facilitate an understanding of the features of the invention. No additional information exists.

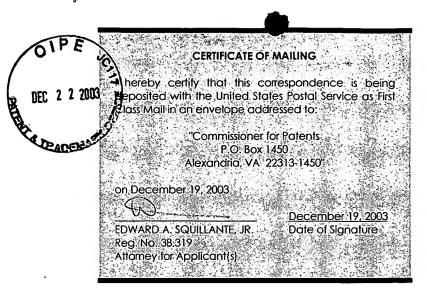
In the event any questions remain, the Examiner is kindly invited to contact Applicants undersigned counsel.

Respectfully submitted,

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Total Claims		Minus			\$ 18.00	
Independent Claims		Minus			\$ 86.00	
Multiple Claims					\$ 290.00	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE	FOR THIS AMENDMENT			\$		

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